After Twenty Years' Rule Murphy the Silent, Simple in His Tastes and a Good Golfer, Is Now a More Powerful Boss Than Ever

Alike. Cool and Sure—Calls His Aids by First Names, but He Is Mr. Murphy

from the start. Down six holes the foursome had sliced and pulled, topped and fuzzled-that is, three members of the team had. The

'Big Tom' Foley, the sage leader of the East Side, the second biggest wer in Tammany Hall. He topped and his ball rolled down forty yards into the creek. He was all upset. into the creek. He was all upset.

John O'Brien, the new Surrogate,
stepped up. Evidently he was neryous. A long preliminary swaggle
and zing—he had sliced into the rough.

Andy Sheridan came next and he followed "Big Tom" into the creek.

The fourth player was Charles F. Murphy, Tammany leader. During this brainstorm—a storm which all golfers experience—he had been standing well away from the tee looking across the greens. "That was a good drive Eddie made," he remarked casually, pointing to his friend Cunningham, homeward bound across the way.

Murphy addressed the ball calmly.

took a free easy swing. Bang! squarely on the nose. Down the fairway it went, straight and true a good

"You fellows better steady down a little," he remarked. On the next hole they all began to settle a bit and the

teresting because it isn't a bad index

Even His Close Friends Call Him "Mr. Murphy"

cepting "Big Tom," who is, of course, of him by friend or foe, it is a fact that There are many cases. some of financiers or lawyers, had he generous of dictators, chosen. But it was Murphy's way to stick to the old friends. That's his kind of boyalty.

The opposition to Murphy inside and outside the organization spent most of the time for ten years shouting: "Mur-

one of the foursome who happened to be a minute late; the game around as has the city government under his quiet as the professional Scot could control. He has carried New York by wish, everything concentrated on that the biggest plurality ever recorded. preferably in their rooms, with corned ton, Alfred E. Smith, as Governor by beef and cabbage at least once a week the biggest plurality ever recorded in for a treat; a little walk on the ve- the State. He has elected a United

about those foursomes and those parties is the attitude of the closest friends toward the Chief. None ever heard any of them call him Charlie, although with him it is always John and Eddie and Andy. But their answer is Commissioner or Mr. Murphy—always. He is the boss every min-

te, at work or play. Not the closest friend in the most intimate moment of play tries to break through the cold and reserved nature. Respect, almost deference, at every like Murphy's when not in office turn and move is as much a part of the game as breathing. The char- Murphy Like the Average Man acter of the man or his position seems to demand it. Probably those who are to demand it. Probably those who are with him and calling each other by It is only natural for the man who and he shows the care he gives it.

Murphy the silent! Murphy the who has watched is nothing uncanny about him.

Tammany boss of mystery! The East there is nothing uncanny about him. It wo rounds a day which he day have learned that his physician has told him to slow up Side boy who fought his way up from the very bottom to a position of power and influence never excelled in this city, only once or twice in the State! Murphy, the quiet fighter, who has something about what the people want come out of twenty years of the toughcet political life any man ever experienced unquestionably the strong-perienced to be a state under the stone and they have a chance to hide this dentity for innocuous reasons, since in altitle. There is nothing the matter addition to the plan for universal finable to the plan for universal finable to the plan for universal finable to the plan est organization leader in American

Plays Both Games | READY FOR A ROUND AT FRENCH LICK



MAYOR HYLAN, CHAS. F MURPHY .

them hard.

A man in the Fifth was in trouble.

He went to Murphy and the boss fixed it and then disciplined the offender.

A widow was having a hard job making two ends meet. Murphy took game in golf as in politics. He dubbed at golf until he had mastered it as far shie are and mastered it as far smoothed out,

There are the market with them to be. They are what Murphy likes and what he wants. There are family portraits and tiger skin rugs—and their furnishings are exactly what one would expect them to be. They are what Murphy likes and what he wants. There are family portraits and tiger skin rugs—a comfortable home where the chief spends much of his time.

For essentially he is a home man.

ing and gratitude which Murphy has any more afraid of changing his mind started from the Hall and which in and changing his course than he is of a Tom Taggart led the opposition which tained in the ashes of his fire. These

A long walk with one or two of those friends in the forenoon; the golf game at just 1 o'clock every day and game at just 1 o'clock every day and those friends in the forenoon; the golf game at just 1 o'clock every day and the game at just 1 o'clock every day and the game at just 1 o'clock every day and the game at just 1 o'clock every day and the game at just 1 o'clock every day and the game at just 1 o'clock every day and the game at just 1 o'clock every day and the game at just 1 o'clock every day and the game at just 1 o'clock every day and the game at just 1 o'clock every day and game at just "What's the delay for?" to bolstering this and that spot.

with the few friends, He has elected Tammany's favorite treat; a little walk on the ve-with the same friends and bed States Senator. He has a State Legislature, a Board of Estimate, a Board of Aldermen, county governments and an organization which is like adamant.

Thomas C. Platt never equaled this political performance when he was could do was run the State; he could never win the city. Tweed never apcompared with the present Tammany politics like Hanna no one man in this

first name or nickname are not aware themselves of the striking effect of the striking effect of themselves of the striking effect of the striking effect of themselves of the striking effect of the striking effect of themselves of the striking effect of the striking effect of themselves of the striking effect of themselves of the striking effect of the striking effect of themselves of the striking effect of t

growth? A man who in the face of the crowd and tell his public what it bitter attacks by press and pulpit and must have; he tries to find what the uplift forces has risen year after year masses want and gives it to them. If until the end of his decade finds him they like Hylan or any other candi-in control of State and city. Is it date and he doesn't happen to care es-

little," he remarked. On the next hole they all began to settle a bit and the game came back.

Merely an incident in a day's golfing, one that the Chief probably could not remember himself. Yet it is interesting because it isn't a bad index swer. Perhaps he does not know him-self. But to the political observer it millions. He has a comfortable town teresting because it isn't a bad index to the man. The fact is that Charles F. Murphy plays politics exactly as he plays golf. There is more than one point of contact and comparison in the two games. One wonders if the Chief's craze over golf may not be due to that very fact.

When the others about him are most excited he is calmest. Always in a pinch he possesses that ability to detail and a good memory for detail and a good memory for detail and a good in the two games. Always in a pinch he possesses that ability to detail the pinch he possesses that ability to detail the pinch he possesses that ability to detail the pinch he possesses that ability to detail and a good memory for detail and a good in the strength and their sense of organizing. He knows his men from one end of the State to the other; knows their strength and their weaknesses. His loyalty to his aids annoying and look at something distant. Never flustered and evidently never thrilled, he keeps his mind and his game under perfect control when even the strong men with him are even the strong men with him are even the strong men with him are the plays and the boss fixed them to be. They are what Murphy and the boss fixed them to be. They are what Murphy are exactly and their furnishings are exactly what one would expect them to Murphy and the boss fixed them to be. They are what Murphy are exactly what one would expect them to Murphy and the boss fixed them to be. They are what Murphy are exactly what one would expect them to Murphy and the boss fixed them to be. They are what Murphy are exactly and the strength and their furnishings are exactly what one would expect them to be. They are what Murphy are the plays to the plays the politics every hour of the books, paintings. He has a comfortable town house and a fine estate at Good Ground. His tastes and his living are relatively simple. He hasn't any feat.

Books, paintings. He has a comfortable town house and a fine estate to food Ground. His tastes and his living are tery. All there is to it is

This incident of the sixth hole was out at French Lick Springs, where the Chief went with five of his friends a few weeks back to rest after his smashing victory at the polls. Everything about the trip was typical of the golf and of Murphy's "game."

the family can't afford the doctor for change his mind. If he finds he has sensed a thing wrong, is headed wrong machine, the one member of the Old sensed a thing wrong, is headed wrong machine, the one member of the Old Guard whose power has grown in mistake in picking a candidate, he can shift so quickly no one can follow he turned about over night. He isn't The old political alignments hold. In the golf and of Murphy's "game."

The head of the most powerful political machine, the one member of the Old Guard whose power has grown in mistake in picking a candidate, he can shift so quickly no one can follow he turned about over night. He isn't The old political alignments hold. In completely into the gas carbon dexice, an exception to all rules in Tam- he is intensely human. It doesn't ex- latest was that of the Cohalans, for-

and has seen him in cartoon and cariprised to have Mr. Murphy pointed out on the street. In dress as in everything he is conventional and well. In evening clothes he is the last word in fashion. But there is never anything flashy about his apa political bess's makeup. He looks hand to make as good an administra-more like the prosperous business tion as possible for Tammany's credit. red ties which formerly were part of man or the wealthy retired brewer. Hardly would be suggest the banker

or college president.

In his habits, too, he is as conservative as in dress and golf. He takes a drink when he wants it, which isn't often, and he prefers good wine. He discourages drinking as a pracany man on whom he relies or whom he picks for high official responsibil-

A little moderate drinking of taining guests at home is about his limit. Smoking, too, is a thing to be be developed as an excess to injure the nerves. He smokes a little, per-

haps a cigar a day: This conservatism and routine ex-

Tammany Chief Smokes a Little; Drinks, or Drank, a Little, and He'd

Like to Elect the

ever he has gone in the last few months great interest and curlosity has been shown in his personality. is dress and habits

Next President

there has ever been in politics. Day after day he sits at his dingy old desk inside the wire fence at Tammany where the braves line up and pass in review telling him their wants, asking for patronage and favor or getting his permission to do something in the district. He has to listen. That has given him the reputation of being la-conic. He really isn't. Most of the time he hasn't anything to say and does not say it.

Possessing all the famed humor of the Irish, there is nothing the Chief likes better than a good story. Halikes to hear them and to tell them but they have to be good. Mostly, he draws his stories from his own political past, anecdotes in which there is culiar twist and he has hundreds

Abuse is one of the things on which he always has seemed to thrive. With political enemies firing at him from every side he has looked on with in-terest and gone on playing politics Only once or twice when the attacks have touched his personal honor has he responded and then he came into the open with libel suits. "He must have a tough skin," is an old phrase in New York politics. He always has taken it as part of the game and has gone on indifferently because he knew that the greater the abuse the more loyal his friends became in the organ ization. They closed in against the attack of the enemy and Murphy was quick enough to turn even this to ad-

1924 Not Lacking in Interest

To Murphy, but He Says Nothing marked, Tammany man in the White House? hats, newspapers, bottle caps, parch-Is it his ambition to close his career ments and sausage casings," would by electing a President of the United you believe him? Suppose the same States? Who shall try to answer these individual led you further into the tall questions? They are the queries heard timber, and, halting before a giant daily since Smith was reelected by pine, informed you in quite a matter 400,000. Tammany is seriously taking of fact voice that the substance of that Smith for President. Murphy, as alpine would soon be transformed into

three—McCleilan, Gaynor and Hylan. smile pleasantly and give your guide He has elected three Governors—Dix. a knowing wink? And if our little Sulzer and Smith. He has been in on walking encyclopedia then pointed to the nomination of one candidate for a beech or a sugar maple and casually

ership twenty years ago Croker was fungicides or movie films would you fading and a triumvirate was making a measure your companion's physical as his age and muscles would permit.

Those are the little things the boss and laving reached that stage he maintain it at 100 per cent. Straight down the tairway goes his drive; party nearly always the same distance. His capture and day and saw a few of the big green easily. His putt is accurate. His putt is accurate work out, registers the \$8, 90, 92. He work out, registers the \$8, 90, 92. He always swings through and keeps his cye on the ball.

Those are the little things the boss do frive; and of the greatest political organ-little things the boss is doing day after day. That is what Ization in this country, perhaps in the world, he shuns publicity, he hates public affairs, never attends big dinners unless it is unavoidable, has never made a speech in public. Not a world of gossip touching the chief's protty with the metropolitian government well in hand, getting ready a world of gossip touching the chief's help. Maybe it's rent; maybe the cost of the funeral is too heavy; maybe the cost of the funeral is too heavy; maybe the family can't afford the doctor for Annie.

For essentially he is a home man. Head of the greatest political organ-lighting and a triumvirate was making a dating and a triumvirate was making a dating and a triumvirate was making a lading and a triumvirate was making a dating and a triumvirate was making a lading and evil to the started big din and a "sport." To-day he is "sitting ners unless it is unavoidable, has never made a speech in public. Not a world of the greatest political organ-lighting and triumvirate was making a lading and a triumvirate was making a la

an exception to all rules in Tamber is intensely human. It doesn't express itself in mixing up with the boys press itself in mixing up with the boys of the Wigwam.

It wouldn't do to make favorites out of district leaders, as that might create jealousies. "Just some old friends of mine to talk over old friends of mine to talk over old times." He could have picked a four-times." He could have picked a four-times." He could have picked a four-times."

It wouldn't do to make favorites out of district leaders, as that of the Cohalans, formerly the pets of the Wigwam.

Knows How to Wear Clothes;

Looks Like Brewer, Unlike Banker go to the next convention. Al Smith will be one of the weapons. Murphy the boss is the gentlest and most intensely human. It doesn't excellence the green leaves of the combination held in 1920 and the plant the plant the plant was beaten.

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It was named to prove the plant the plant have the remarkable power nearly and the c may have the veto power. They may block the Wilson-McAdoo forces; they may land Smith in the Vice-Presional products, converting them into many others, which go to form the substance

lency.

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Not quite as silently, perhaps a bit has been supported by but certainly just as he did two years ago. He is looking

Pershing and the 'Frat' Girls

cuse University when, on the day of a fiery end in some "trash burner" or the games at the Stadium in that city under some industrial "refuse boller." where the American Legion held its Waste of By-Products Avoided, annual convention, he visited their tice because it lowers efficiency, and "frat" house: "I left the meet early he will not tolerate drunkenness in just to see all of you, for what did the games mean to me when I had the chance to meet a whole crowd of lovely girls? I have seen other Tri-

indulged for pleasure rather than to sequence of his visit and the fact that be developed as an excess to injure he has a sister who is a Tri-Delta from the University of Nebraska he

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These Times

THE hatreds of the world are not yet over! Men quarrel in the old, eternal way; Shadows of armies fall upon the clover, The helmet is put by-for one brief day. Now, Lord, Thy people cry for peace, for peace; Yet politicians rage, and never cease.

THE ancient feuds go on; the grapes of wrath Are pressed in many a vineyard of the world. Men whisper, who would tell it not in Gath,

That soon fresh flags of War shall be unfurled. Lord God, have they forgotten how youth bled For peace eternal? Oh, our wasted dead!

ALL, all in vain the human sacrifice, War against War a light and empty phrase! Thrice vain those graves beneath the brooding skies, Since a new menace hangs above our days. If this be all we gained through blood and tears, A crimson harvest waits us down the years.

NOT ours to prate of nobleness and glory, Having learned naught, immersed in War's red tide, Thinking, because the rose repeats its story, Men must repeat their crimes, though crucified. Lord God, if this be still our foolish path, To-morrow how shall we escape Thy wrath?

CHARLES HANSON TOWNE.

Chemists Get Silk, Cotton and Alcohol From Our Forests

New York State College of Forestry at Syracuse University.

of forest, pointed to a venerable spruce tree and nonchalantly re-"Some day that tree will oe sincerely believe he can put a silk stockings, neckties, waists, shirts, graves! ways, is silent.

In his twenty years Murphy has nominated four Mayors and elected three—McClellan, Gaynor and Hylan.

In his twenty years Murphy has paper, shoe polish, camphor, germinominated four Mayors and elected three—McClellan, Gaynor and Hylan. President—James M: Cox two years remarked that this tree was the for-ago. remarked that this tree was the for-bear of pounds of dyestuffs drugs, dit-When Murphy jumped into the lead- infectants, plastics, perfumes, solvents,

the backwash mean votes.

That part is not all a play with the gone against the wishes of the boss. They were beaten and they faced terholiday were old time friends and, ex-cepting "Big Tom," who is, of course, of him by friend or foe, it is a fact that There are many cases. One of the style.

Bryan's best during its growth. Under the influence cepting "Big Tom," who is, of course, of him by friend or foe, it is a fact that of sunlight, stimulated by certain min-But the combination held in 1920 eral substances, the green leaves of

> be stronger than ever, and even if they is a veritable chemical factory, workdo not control the convention they ing silently, without whirling machinproper of its own wood, sap, bark, root

plain why the Boss isn't playing the State political game quite as hard as more clumsily, but certainly just as s looking unobtrusively, the chemist uses this It looks wood and bark and leaf in the interas If he wants to give Smith a free ests of mankind. He has frequently focused his attention on the waste materials of the lumber industry and has attempted, in many cases with This is what Gen. Pershing said to the Delta-Delta-Delta girls of Syra-dust, which normally would have met

in the modern hardwood distillation industry of to-day than in the efforts of the medieval "collier" converting wood Deltas before, but none so pretty as into charcoal and wasting so much! The mysterious collier is no longer in the picture. The despised by-products, of formaldehyde; the jack of all not limited to and those who As the S. U. girls say, the General the picture. The despised by-products of formaldehyde; the jack of all formerly wasted and destroyed, have trades in the chemical industry. Its become the bulwark of the manufacscience is alding the march of prog-Teeth as Well as Finger on metal cars, which are run on tracks into the hearts of specially designed ovens, equipped with the means of The unbappy criminal soon is likely condensing and saving the vapors to have no chance to escape the penalty of his misdeeds. Nor is anybody carbonization process. Everything that laters, pipe stems, plastics, varnishes, itself used in the production of insulative for laws a chance to hide his can be saved or used is carefully prophenographic records, and what he is the laters, pipe stems, plastics, varnishes, phenographic records, and what he is the laters are the laters and what he is the later and what he is the laters and what he is the laters and what h

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The commercial importance of the steadily in



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water solution is well known as the highest ideals for their children cerned.

"formalin" and serves as a standard seem to lose their bearings and all Fortunately my experience has been. ress. To-day carefully seasoned cord a wonderful fungicide and its use in wood—beech, birch or maple—is piled the eradication of fungal diseases prevalent in potatoes and grains has been strongly advocated. It has crept phenographic records—and what not. Formaldehyde forms the backbone of a number of useful drugs like protromethylenetetramine" for short). thank its industrial significance to the production of methanol, product of

The Parents' Views When a Headmaster Enforces Discipline

CHOOLMASTERS in general are ligned individual known as a parent. that their work would be immensely

children or to be kept more intimately the real characteristics of the boy informed of the progress and peculiari-

My personal experiences with parents have, in the main, been of a happy and helpful kind. The variety I have met in many years' experience has been wide and comprehenshive. It has included the good, the bad and the has included the good, the bad and the mend to the attention of my school-indifferent, and has not lacked the pe-master friends. It offers an explanafar, outnumbered the bad; and my toward enlightening their minds in rechief complaint, if I have one, is that the indifferent so greatly predominate, the indifferent so greatly predominate. the indifferent so greatly predominate.
It is my belief, however, that this his parents a lie. This story will serve dicates a confidence in the boy and the school rather than a real lack of inrest on the part of the parents themnendation or censure rarely fails to concerned and indicate a prompt and appreciative response, and not infrequently, when nsure is involved, the appearance of Father Argues, Pleads, Threatens:

plement the work that has already been done, whether poorly or well, in of a person took you by the hand, pared data, showing them what yields led you through a dense growth led you through a dense growth and charcoal they may expect from a showed by the influences that are still and charcoal they may expect from a showed by the influences that are still and charcoal they may expect from a showed by the influences that are still and charcoal they may expect from a showed by the influences that are still and charcoal they may expect from a showed by the influences that are still and the first showed by the influences that are still and the first showed by the influences that are still and the first showed by the influences that are still and the first showed by the influences that are still and the first showed by the influences that are still and the first showed all the showed all the first showed all the f of wood alcohol, acetate of line, and charcoal they may expect from a certain species of wood, provided they operative in the home while the boy of girl remains a member of the aggravating type of parental mind. or many parents to understand. But If he happens to lack education this truth stares the schoolmaster has been somewhat exceptionally steadily in the face and adds cessful in the material world be The commercial importance of the steadily in the face with the products of the industry may be mightly to his cares. When, as bring a lawyer with him to impress gauged from the following figures: In often happens, he welcomes his pupils you with his business methods and incidentally to suggest a threat. American wood distilleries pro-

> pensable raw materials of many industries. Charcoal was used in the manufacture of iron and in the case hardening of steel. It further found the manufacture of steel. It further found the case hardening of steel. It further found the case who is to build up the mental, moral the manufacture of the chief business of which is to build up the mental, moral the case who is to build up the mental, moral the case who is to build up the mental, moral the case who is to build up the mental, moral the case who is to build up the mental, moral the case who is to build up the mental that parents so often will invest their manufactures of mental those who is a treat sacrifice in sending the case who is a superior of the case who hardening of steel. It further found outlets in small amounts in the manufacture of black powder and dynamite, and then, when once more the reins In stock feed and poultry foods, as a of authority are placed in the parents ing from mood to mood, pleading decdorizer and as an insulating ma-decdorizer and as an insulating ma-own hands, will permit, if they do cajoling, threatening and occasionally not actually encourage, conditions promising a law suit. Whatever may which can only undermine if they do be the personal feelings of the longnot finally wreck all that the school suffering schoolmaster under this bom-has been able to accomplish. School-bardment he is made sick at heart as masters have yet to find a satisfac-he realizes the utter futility of atmasters have yet to find a satisfac-tory explanation of this strange and tempting to save from inevitable dis-

> > Some Parents Want to Keep

immensely concerned with the way but real harm, if not worse, has come in which the victim faces the situa- to the victim of it all. tion and accepts the punihsment that his wrong doing has justly brought Some Parents Sanely Indorse upon him. In such circumstances boys, if unbindered by parental interference, will regularly play the man. certainly distressing type of

seense of proportion when just disci-pline threatens. The curious attempts fer an interesting and baffling study of tread the school paths that their If it did not involve an element of the plain truths that in the days of youth tragic, for the future of an individual were not easily seen and understood.

Pupil's Melodramatic Absence

library and was required to report at

Rumor had reached him that his inclined to set pretty definite night, and he decided to make u values on that frequently ma- the opportunity to slip away. Before These values vary. But in general they had returned at 9:55 and had gone to are not complimentary. It is not unmaster exclaim: "Parents are a nui-instructor in question returning to his sance." Not all are so frank or so room at 10 o'clock found the note and brutal. Yet there are few of the pro-fession who will not at times agree await developments. At 3 in the that their work would be immensely morning he was rewarded by seeing lightened and the results of their efforts much more satisfactory if they facts were duly reported to the father were wholly freed from unwarranted and the boy's immediate withdrawal interference on the part of those who, for the time being, have seen fit to entrust their children to the care and oversight of a school.

The extent of this feeling is influenced largely by the character and fluenced largely by the character and fluenced largely by the character and but, of course, deserving of punishment of the school. Schools for the largely by the note on his door is location of the school. Schools for the ment. But on the note on his door is young and those that are known as where you make a mistake in your undoubtedly suffer most, for severe punishment. It was a lie, but whether for good or ill, parents in such a lie must be intended and realized to whether for good of m, partition and the late of the cases are likely either to take a be a lie. You, like most professors, livelier interest in the welfare of their judge all boys alike without knowing the boy.

But the good have far, very tion and a definition which will go far seeming indifference in most cases in- to illustrate that type of parental mind school life at least can only be re ves; for a word of special com-endation or censure rarely falls to concerned and menacing to the student

Sometimes Even Brings Lawyer

altogether too much importance to it gauged from the following figures: In 1919 American wood distilleries produced over 9,000,000 gallons of crude at the end of a vacation period only to discover that the painstaking efforts that have been put forth to conserve the health and build up mental and moral fiber have been more than 169,000,000 pounds of acetate of lime, half a billion gallons of wood tar, about a quarter million of tar oils, over 900,000 pounds of wood creosote, besides 46,000,000 bushels of charcoal.

These crude products, other than the charcoal, were in large part refined charcoal, were in large part refined it is a bit strange and paradoxical his large business interests he handles and purified, and became the indistrict that parents so often will invest their hundreds of men and he has always there who contradictory behavior of their pa-trons. aster in the years to come an other-wise promising and not at all abnormal

> Son's Record Clean at All Cost
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> Occasionally a boy has character enough to see what his father will not The real character of the parent see and to face his punishme is perhaps best revealed and the fu-ture of the pupil most clearly de-termined when matters of discipline are involved. The best of boys will make mistakes. But the schoolman make mistakes. But the schoolmas-ter, if he has profited by experience, thing but rare. The end is inevitable; will not concern himself so much with and in a long experience I cannot the mistake itself. But he will be point to a single case where anything

Discipline, Even When It Hurts As an offset to this disagreeable and But it is at just this point that the the schoolmaster finds one of his parent, even the most indifferent, greatest joys and deepest satisfactions shakes off lethargy and prepares to in contact with those rare souls who take a hand in the education of his keep an even balance in their mental son. And the parent, unless he is an processes, who see things in the large exception to the general rule, does and are infinitely and rightly more. not at this point play the man. He generally does quite the reverse. Indeed, he not infrequently ends by just punishment the means by which commercial acetic acid, which forms the raw material in the manufacture of white lead pigment, photographic films, lacquers, dyes (like the famous synthetic indigo), drugs like acetanilide and aspirin and special solvents like amyl acetate—the "bunan oil" of commerce. Acetate of lipe is also the parent of acetone—which is used so extensively to dissolve acetylene gas and in the cordite industry. In the manufacture of chloroform and lodomant to the production of the drug distert with almost as assured certification of the preciate as schoolmaster takes new courage and realizes that after all his effect that his unreasonable attitude must have on his boy's character and future life. That effect can be preciate as schoolmasters do, from dealing year after year with their One, and their boys shall pass safely from un-Thanks to Chemists' Work
What a different picture is presented to the modern hardwood distillation in the modern hardwood distillation in the efforts of sustry of to-day than in the efforts of the manufacture of chloroform and ided discipling the sustry of to-day than in the efforts of the manufacture of chloroform and ided discipling the sustry of to-day than in the efforts of the manufacture of chloroform and ided discipling the sustry of to-day than in the efforts of the manufacture of chloroform and ided discipling the sustry of to-day than in the efforts of the manufacture of chloroform and ided discipling the sustry of the manufacture of chloroform and ided discipling the sustry of the manufacture of chloroform and ided discipling the sustry of the manufacture of the sustry of the manufacture of the manufacture of the sustry of the manufacture of the sustry of the sus The threatened calamity must ment must inevitably mean to those This perfectly senseless behavior is figult and wearing problems of school not limited to the ignocant. Parents administration would disappear, and of intelligence and those who cherish to the enduring advantage of all con-

> to defend or explain the mistakes of concrete cases, for already the sons of an erring youngster in such cases of- former pupils are coming to me tothe psychology of the human mind, fathers trod before them. Contact The situation would be only ludicrous with the realities of life have made. Every sepoolmaster is familiar with and I have yet to discover the boy this situation; and each has his collection of illustrative incidents, Finds Defender in Father his best development. This truth, in deed, invites even stronger pronounce-Not long ago a boy was dismissed ment, and I do not resitate to affirm

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